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DISK DRIVE INCLUDING A ONE-PIECE STAMPED ACTUATOR
ARM ASSEMBLY AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME

EV 314393212 US (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) Express Mail Label No. Assistant Commissioner for Patents APPLICATION ELEMENTS ADDRESS TO: **Box Patent Application** See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents Washington, DC 20231 Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix) Applicant claims small entity status. 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission See 37 CFR 1.27. (if applicable, all necessary) [Total Pages ent set forth below) Specification 18 3. **X** Computer Readable Form (CRF) - Descriptive title of the invention Specification Sequence Listing on: Cross Reference to Related Applications Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or - Reference to sequence listing, a table, i i. 🔲 paper or a computer program listing appendix Statements verifying identity of above copies Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) - Claim(s) 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of - Abstract of the Disclosure (when there is an assignee) Attorney English Translation Document (if applicable) Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) | Total Sheets Copies of IDS Information Disclosure 12 5. Oath or Declaration ` [Total Pages Citations Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Newly executed (original or copy) Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed) 13 **Preliminary Amendment** Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) 14. 🗶 (Should be specifically itemized) Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)** 15. Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 16. X 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.; Prior application information. Examiner For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. 19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS Customer Number or Bar Code Label 35219 Correspondence address below Name Address City State Zip Code Country Telephone Fax Won Tae C. Kim, Esq. 40.457 Name (Print/Type) Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)

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